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A New Jamaican Species of Ctenitis

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During the past several years the writer has explored some of the more remote corners of Jamaica for ferns, as a result of which a number of interesting new records have come to light. The type locality of the present new species is a precipitous mountain of white limestone called Dolphin Head, near the western end of the island in the Parish of Hanover. Here it grows among moist shaded boulders in association with other plants endemic to the area.

CTENITIS dolphinensis Proctor, sp. nov.

Ctenitis sect. Hirtae rhizomate crasso, suberecto, paleis aureo-brunneis, linearibus vel lineari-lanceolatis, attenuatis, integris dense vestito; stipitibus fasciculatis, brunneis, 30–35 cm. longis, ubique—versus basim densius paleis bicoloribus filiformibus basi expansis vestitis;



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